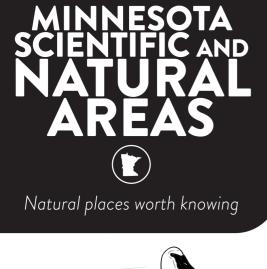
BIRD CHECKLIST

Sand Lake Peatland SNA





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	Sp	S	F	W
DUCKS, GEESE, AND SWANS				
Canada Goose		Х		
Mallard		Х		
Ring-necked Duck		Х		
CRANES				
Sandhill Crane		Х		
SANDPIPERS				
Wilson's Snipe		Х		
LOONS				
Common Loon		Х		
HAWKS AND EAGLES				
Northern Harrier		Х		
OWLS				
Great Gray Owl		Х		
WOODPECKERS				
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker		Х		
Black-backed Woodpecker		Х		
Northern Flicker		Х		
FALCONS				
American Kestrel		Х		
TYRANT FLYCATCHERS				
Olive-sided Flycatcher		Х		
Yellow-bellied Flycatcher		Х		
Alder Flycatcher		Х		
Least Flycatcher		Х		
Eastern Kingbird		Х		
VIREOS				
Blue-headed Vireo		Х		
Red-eyed Vireo		Х		
JAYS, CROWS, AND MAGPIES				
Blue Jay		Х		
American Crow		Х		
Common Raven		Х		
CHICKADEES AND TITMICE				
Boreal Chickadee		Х		
SWALLOWS				
Tree Swallow		Х		
CREEPERS				
Brown Creeper		Х		

Sp S E W

	Sp	S
WRENS		
Winter Wren		Х
Sedge Wren		Х
THRUSHES		
Swainson's Thrush		Х
Hermit Thrush		Х
American Robin		Х
WAXWINGS		
Cedar Waxwing		Х
FINCHES		
Purple Finch		Х
White-winged Crossbill		Х
Pine Siskin		Х
SPARROWS		
Chipping Sparrow		Х
Dark-eyed Junco		Х
White-throated Sparrow		Х
LeConte's Sparrow		Х
Savannah Sparrow		Х
Song Sparrow		Х
Lincoln's Sparrow		Х
Swamp Sparrow		Х
BLACKBIRDS		
Red-winged Blackbird		Х
WARBLERS		
Ovenbird		Х
Northern Waterthrush		Х
Black-and-white Warbler		Х
Nashville Warbler		Х
Connecticut Warbler		Х
Mourning Warbler		Х
Common Yellowthroat		Х
Magnolia Warbler		Х
Yellow Warbler		Х
Chestnut-sided Warbler		Х
Palm Warbler		Х
Yellow-rumped Warbler		Х
Black-throated Green Warbler		Х
Wilson's Warbler		Х

Seasonal Occurrence Key

F W

- Sp Spring (March through May)
- **S** Summer (June through July)
- F Fall (August through November)
- W Winter (December through February)
- C Common (seen every year/season)
- U Uncommon (seen every 2-3 years/season)
- **O** Occasional (seen every 4-9 years/season)
- **R** Rare (seen less than once every 10 years/season)
- X Observed during season, data insufficient for calculating occurrence

Bird Identification Tips

When you observe a bird, make note of at least **three** characteristics:

Location - Where did you see the bird (water, forest, feeder, lower branch, tree trunk)?

Body size and shape - Compare it to a known bird (smaller than a... bigger than a... plump like a... slender like a...). Looks at its tail, legs, and bill (long, short, thick, thin, curved, straight).

Colors and markings - Look on wings, tail, back, belly, rump, and head (stripe above eye, white spot on tail, etc.).

Sounds and movements - How does it act and sound (traveling alone or in groups, soaring, flapping, flap and glide, etc.)?

Data for this checklist were sourced from eBird as well as MNDNR staff and contractor observations. Checklist organization follows the most current Clements checklist and eBird taxonomy.

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